TOWN OF CLAYTON PROCLAMATION PUBLIC POWER WEEK - YOUR TOWN, YOUR POWER

WHEREAS, the Town of Clayton provides electricity to its citizens; and,

WHEREAS, the citizens of the Town of Clayton are consumers and owners of their public power systems and exercise local control over utility operations and policies, and

WHEREAS, our employees are neighbors serving neighbors; and

WHEREAS, our electric system is a community asset that contributes to the well-being of citizens by providing safe and reliable power, customer service and economic development opportunities, and,

WHEREAS, the Town of Clayton is one of more than 70 public power communities serving more than 500,000 residential, commercial, and industrial customers in North Carolina; and

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE PROCLAIMED by the Honorable Mayor and Town Council of the Town of Clayton, North Carolina that October 2 through October 8, 2011, be recognized as

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in an effort to promote public power and those who work to provide the best possible electric service for our citizens.

Duly proclaimed this the <u>3rd</u> day of October 2011, while in regular session.

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